March 24, 2005

In regards to: The pending sale/transfer of Licenses and Authorizations held by Rainbow DBS Company LLC to EchoStar Satellite LLC

To Whom It May Concern:

In the matter of RAINBOW DBS selling their Rainbow-1 satellite that is located at 61.5 to EchoStar would not be in the best interest of the consumer. In previous rulings you have side on increased competition and consumer choices; this transaction is clearly not in the best interest of the public. It is my desire to continue receiving VOOM programming, and all of its HDTV programming. As we look to covert into the digital era and push HDTV, we see cable and other satellite providers lacking and taking advantage of its subscribers. Time Warner once advertised 10 HDTV programs for the same price as digital cable. Once we received our new box they tried saying their website was wrong and it would be an additional \$10, we then still didn't get what they claimed. Two local stations and two other stations was all they provided. Voom is the first to deliver what they claim and is pushing the envelope to those who desire the HD revolution. Their only down fall is the pain an antenna problems with locals but are still way ahead of their time. VOOM HD LLC's has the desire to continue operating Rainbow-1 at the 61.5 frequencies and with consumer support and your help I believe Voom can survive and help make other cable and satellite providers rethink how they support and charge for their HD and make a much better competitive field that will be in the best interest of the consumer.

While I do not agree with much of the FCC's policies on censorship with technology such as the V-chip and with parental guidance the government shouldn't be as uptight as they are. I believe parents should be educated and responsible in seeing what their child watches. I also believe technology could also provide a chip that would work with the V-chip and if set it could censor things on its own.

But beside this intrusions on personal believe that goes beyond the constitution that states the government should be for protection and support and not a "parent" in peoples every day life. You could at least give us the right to fair and competitive competition and help further the process of HDTV by not allowing this transaction and helping Voom is whatever way possible.

Sincerely,

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